



# **STIC Search Report**

## **Biotech-Chem Library**

**STIC Database Tracking Number: 144509**

**TO: Roy Teller**  
**Location: REM-3D18/3C18**  
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### **Search Notes**

Examiner Teller,

Here are the results for your recent search request.

Please feel free to contact me if you have any questions about these results.

Thank you for using STIC services. We appreciate the opportunity to serve you.

Sincerely,

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Pending Nucleic Acid and Pending Amino Acid database searches generate two sets of results each. The Pending databases have been split into two parts to reduce the amount of time required for their daily updates. This results in more machine time being available for processing searches.

Searches run against the Nucleic Acid Pending database produce two sets of results, with the extensions **.rnpm** and **.rnpn**

Searches run against the Amino Acid Pending database produce two sets of results, with the extensions **.rapm** and **.rapn**

***Because they contain data that is confidential, the results of Pending database searches should not be left in the case .***

## Protein Sequence Searches - February 2005

NOTE: The UniProt database has ARSS (Accession Record System) implemented.

- Please note that the curators of the UniProt database have purged some temporary accession numbers from the most recent version of UniProt. These sequences have been assigned new permanent accession numbers. The new UniProt record may not contain the previous temporary accession number.
- If you encounter an accession number from an older search run against UniProt (results file extension **.rup**) that can no longer be found in the database, the permanent record with the new accession number can be found by searching the old accession number in the UniProt Protein Archive database (UniPARC) at:

<http://www.pir.uniprot.org/database/archive.shtml>

If you have any questions regarding this information or your results, please contact any STIC searcher.

**When submitting sequence search results for scanning into IFW, please include a copy of this attachment to assist any future Examiners or members of the public who may encounter UniProt temporary accession numbers.**